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Russ Attack Tribune Again on Ore Report

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MOSCOW, April 25 — THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE came under soviet attack today for the second time in a week over reports that the Russians bought chromium ore from Rhodesia.

The Russian weekly news magazine, Za Rubezhom [abroad] branded the report as "a deliberate lie," and said, "for the CHICAGO TRIBUNE to lie and insinuate in respect of the Soviet Union is not an incident but a tradition."

Assert Country Hated

"The newspaper of the millionaire McCormicks and Pat-

tersons has hated the country of the soviets since the very moment of its existence."

The magazine referred to an article by Willard Edwards of the TRIBUNE's Washington bureau based on American intelligence reports. Edwards' sources stood by the truth of the reports after the government newspaper Izvestia denied them last Friday.

Za Rubezhom said today, "Isn't that a brilliant example of deliberate slander thought out in advance and used for political aims, slander to which the free American press resorts every now and then, particularly when the question is about the Soviet Union and its policy?"

The Soviet Union officially and the United States both subscribe to the United Nations sanctions against the Rhodesian government of Ian Smith.

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